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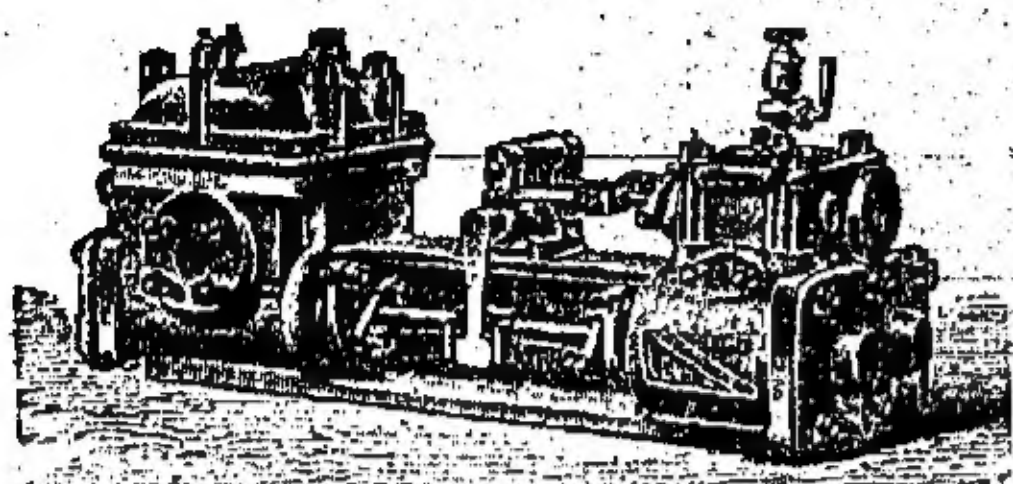
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### NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held in the Office of the General Managers on MONDAY, September 3rd, and not on August 27th, as originally advertised, at 4 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the report of the Managing Committee and Statement of Accounts to August 31st, 1900.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, August 13, 1900. 1719

THE HONGKONG COTTON SPINNING, WEAVING AND DYING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTER OF SHARES in the above Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, August 2nd, to the 3rd day of Sept. (both days inclusive), and not from August 1st to August 27th, as previously advertised, during which period no Transfer of Shares can be Registered.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, August 13, 1900. 1720

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THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Hotel on TUESDAY, the 28th August, 1900, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts of the Company to the 30th June, 1900, with the Report of the Directors, and to discuss any matter that may be competently brought before the Meeting.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 22nd to the 28th Instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board, C. MOON, Secretary. Hongkong, August 14, 1900. 1749

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By Order of the Court of Directors, H. M. BEVIS, Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, July 25, 1900. 1610

### HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTER OF SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 4th, to the 18th day of August next (both days inclusive), during which period NO TRANSFER OF SHARES can be Registered.

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Dividend Warrants payable on SATURDAY, the 18th August, will be issued to Shareholders on Application.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 9th to 18th Inst., both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, August 2, 1900. 1656

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AN INTERIM DIVIDEND at the RATE of 5% (Two Dollars and Fifty CENTS PER SHARE) for the Six Months ending 30th June, 1900, will be PAID to those Persons who are Registered as Shareholders in the above Company on the 31st August, 1900.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 27th to the 31st Instant, both days inclusive.

EDWARD OSBORNE, Secretary. Hongkong, August 16, 1900. 1748

### HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Office of the Company, Queen's Buildings, Corner of Beach Road, on MONDAY, the 20th August, at 12 o'clock (Noon), for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts to the 30th June, 1900.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 24th to 28th August, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors, THOS. I. ROSE, Secretary. Hongkong, July 27, 1900. 1629

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